

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0015] with the following amended paragraph:

[0015] Within the upper end of the outer housing barrel is an inner tubular housing for an a electronic detonation cartridge having a relatively high discharge voltage, 5,000 v or more, for example. Below the inner tubular housing is a cylindrical, upper detonator housing. The upper detonator housing is resiliently separated from the lower end of the inner tubular housing by a suitable spring. The upper detonator housing includes a receptacle socket 31 for an exploding bridge wire (EBW) detonator. The axis for the upper detonator receptacle socket is laterally offset from the outer housing barrel axis.